

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 101

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Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by: SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PILOT PROGRAM TO INCREASE DIVERSITY IN THE WORKFORCE OF STATE CONTRACTORS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 814c of the general statutes be amended to establish a
- 2 pilot program requiring contractors awarded a public works contract
- 3 at Southern Connecticut State University to comply with the following
- 4 workforce diversity standards: For each class of work listed in the
- 5 contractor's general bid for such contract, (1) not less than twenty-five
- 6 per cent of the individuals working in such class of work shall be from
- 7 a minority group, and (2) not less than six and nine-tenths per cent of
- 8 the individuals working in such class of work shall be female.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase diversity in the workforce of state contractors.

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